

## Social Side of Washington

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Washington, February 11.—The week past has been one of the busiest on the season's calendar, albeit social affairs were made subservient to theatre engagements for every one, from the White House family to those who could scarce afford the price, had to see the incomparable Sarah as "L'Aiglon," and many saw her in several other roles of a varied repertoire. The artistic sense of society was further appealed to by those players of Shakespearean parts, E. H. Sothern and Miss Julia Marlowe, than whom there are no finer in America, or, indeed, in the world. If Forbes Robertson, as Hamlet, is excelled, Wilton Lackaye, a native Washingtonian, who has risen as a star of the first magnitude in the theatrical firmament, was also a strong attraction, for which many guests shortened the dinner hour and then took their guests to the play.

Central figures in many of these gay parties were the quartet of Bryn Mawr girls who are guests of Miss Taft for the week. Miss Grant and Miss Woodruff, house guests of General and Mrs. Garrard, at Fort Myer; Mrs. Henry George, of New York, who is visiting Mrs. Arthur McArthur, and Miss Alice Preston, of Tuxedo Park, who is spend-

ing the week with Mr. and Mrs. Edson Bradley.

These interesting visitors were also in evidence at the White House Tuesday evening, when President and Mrs. Taft gave the third in their series of state receptions, with the members of the two houses of Congress as honor guests. This reception, by the way, differed from its predecessors in that it was a gathering of "lame ducks" and their wives, for whom the occasion was in the nature of a farewell. There was little personal feeling of defeat, however, for the exodus is so general that old-timers as well as comparative newcomers in the House and Senate, are gathering up their luggage and preparing for the close of the legislative first Congress. Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, the dreaded watchdog of the Senate, and Mrs. Aldrich, of Rhode Island, whose regime as official hosts is nearing its end, have already hied them to Jekyll Island, off the coast of Georgia, for the former's health, and will not return for a final farewell to their friends in Congress.

Not so, that purveyor of jokes and after-dinner speeches, Chauncey M. Depew, who, with Mrs. Depew, will remain here until the last social hour for them March 1, and will return for the spring season after a three weeks' visit in the Southland. Early in June Senator and Mrs. Depew purpose to go abroad, and next winter will probably find them established again as residents of Gotham.

Another hospitable home which will close with the dying session of Congress is that of the bachelor senator from New Jersey, John Kean, who, with his mother (proudly known as the only old lady in officialdom) and three sisters has taken a permanent place in society for the past twelve years. Especially close to the White House family were they during the Roosevelt regimes, for their sister is Mrs. Emilius Roosevelt, a cousin by marriage of the former President, and her daughters were in the group of seven Misses Roosevelt at the debut of Alice. Speaking of the latter, reminds me of her successor, who is now on the tapis of the haut monde as the most noted young woman in the world. She goes morning, noon and evening—often to two or three affairs during the latter—and does not except Sunday from her busy calendar. For her pleasure and special comfort in speeding from place to place during the daytime, she has recently acquired an up-to-date electric runabout, which she handles with much skill. Incidentally it may be mentioned that seldom is she without a touch of pink about her costume, and the Helen pink will soon become as much the vogue as the Alice blue of other days. Mrs. Taft is also fond of pink for evening wear, though pale blue is her favorite color for handsome evening gown is of silvery blue brocade satin and velvet with bodice emplacement of rare lace.

The British Ambassador and Mrs. James Bryce, who have been feted almost daily ever since their return from England at the beginning of the year, were dinner hosts on Monday, when their guests were invited to meet the new Italian Ambassador and Marchesa Susan in their Donna Beatrice Dussini. Covers were laid for thirty-two, and the guests included Mr. Justice and Mrs. Hughes, the Postmaster General, the Minister of Norway and Madame Bryn (also newcomers in the diplomatic corps); Senator Burton, of Ohio; Representative and Mrs. Olcott, of New York; Representative and Mrs. Richard Wayne Parker (the daughter of General W. W. Gordon, of Civil War fame, and the former a Congressman from New Jersey); Representative and Mrs. Longworth, Dr. A. Watt Andrews, United States Treasurer; Mrs. Bayard, widow of the former Secretary of State; Mrs. Rockwood Hoar, widow of Representative Hoar, of Massachusetts; the hostess's niece, Miss Ashton, and the younger members of the embassy staff, including Mr. Gladstone. The latter, by the way, is the petted lion of the hour, being young enough to enjoy the gay times of the debutante and cultured enough to be companionable to his colleagues in the diplomatic corps and their wives.

The Austro-Hungarian embassy resumed its extraordinary brilliancy on Thursday evening when the Ambassador and Baroness Henselmüller entertained a large company of internationally well-known statesmen and their wives in honor of the greatest Hungarian statesman of the age, Count Apponyi, who is in this country primarily to lecture under the auspices of the Civic Forum and the Peace Society, but incidentally to feel the pulse of Uncle Sam at the mention of certain political subjects of special importance to his government in the event of the demise of Emperor Franz Joseph.

Count Apponyi is an enthusiastic admirer of America, and on the occasion of his first visit here as delegate to the peace conference in St. Louis in 1904, proved himself to be almost as good an American as Ambassador Bryce—and that is conceding much. Certainly, no distinguished visitor of the year has created so favorable an impression as this Hungarian hereditary member of the Hungarian Parliament, member of the House of Representatives, and senator to the King of Hungary, who signs his name simply "Albert Apponyi," though his title is one of the oldest in Europe, and by marriage he is connected closely with the royal family of England.

As may be imagined, Count Apponyi is no friend of wanton splendor and luxury. Indeed, his tastes are so plain as to make a formal dinner in his company a feast of soul and flow of wit, than when none can better contribute or appreciate from others than he.

Washington will sorely have said good-bye to Count Apponyi before it will begin to preen its fine feathers for a hoped-for visit from the Honorable King George's Grenadier Guards, and next heir to his father's hereditary title, and his ownership of Stonehenge. The latter property, connected with the what the pyramid makes it to England. Edmund endeavored to sell it a few years ago, and there has ever since been a dread in Great Britain lest some "other" multi-millionaire, should the ruins to America, establishing a temple so old, in fact, that it is not a temple, 1,000 years ago, and emulating the pyramids, concede its origin to an epoch 2,000 years before Christ.

Str. Edmund's chief home is the Almsbury of Tennessee's "Gumtree," and in the light of the past is not improbable that an American girl will be next chateau, for his only son, the visitor in question, is a bachelor.

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this afternoon, and have cards out for a tea on the 15th. Captain and Mrs. Skinner will remain in Washington until after the army and navy reception at the White House, February 11, which event will be the last of the state functions of the season.

New Turkey appeared on the social horizon yesterday, when Youssouf Zia Pasha received the diplomatic corps in accordance with the custom of a new ambassador or minister. The occasion was of special importance because it was the first of its kind in the history of diplomatic relations with this country, and because the hostess is an American wife of the ambassador's son, Ibrahim Zia. Madame Zia proved herself a charming chatelaine of the embassy, and was able to converse with the guests, each in his own language, except the Japanese and Chinese, with whom she got along nicely, however, by means of the diplomatic language of the world. Assisting in the reception of guests was the ambassador's young daughter, who, like the advanced women of her country today, wears European styles. Miss Zia speaks English with the most fascinating foreign accent, but she prefers to converse in French on formal occasions until she gains more confidence in herself as a linguist. She is petite, with features decidedly more Caucasian than Asiatic, and an abundance of waving brown hair framing in a pretty face. This first Turkish maiden ever granted the privilege of

entering general society will do so under the chaperonage of her sister-in-law, Madame Zia, who before her marriage eighteen months ago, was a Miss Cary Fellows, of New York and Richmond. Madame Zia is still young enough to sympathize with pleasures of a debutante's life, and withal a wealth of experience far beyond her years, for at twenty she was a leading matron in the diplomatic corps at the Italian court. Moreover, she knows with the certainty of an eyewitness how they do things at other capitals in Europe, and had a good foundation of American common sense upon which to base this knowledge. Washington therefore expects her to steer safely the social ship of state in the embassy of her adopted country and to prove a good guide also for the launching of her sister-in-law on the uncertain seas of international society at this capital.

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Miss McMullen, of Virginia, and Miss Minnegerode, of Baltimore, formerly of Alexandria, are also among the week's visitors here, and on Thursday afternoon assisted at a tea given by Mrs. T. T. Turner to mark the safe return after two years' foreign travel of the latter's daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Kingsbury Watterson, and Miss Adele Watterson, of St. Louis. Yellow jessamine and narcissus blossoms, combined with fern and Southern smilax in the decorations, gave a suggestion of spring, very pleasing in con-

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